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Introducer's Statement of Intent
LB 331

Chairperson: Deb Fischer
Committee: Transportation and Telecommunications
Date of Hearing: January 27, 2009

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

LB 331 updates the reference dates to federal rules and regulations contained in the motor vehicle statutes. The bill strikes references to the Single State Registration System (SSRS), an obsolete program, and updates them with the Unified Carrier Registration Plan (the replacement program). The SSRS statutes are repealed outright.

Trailers, semitrailers, or cabin trailers are authorized to obtain Gold Star license plates. This does not include commercial motor vehicles. The bill also allows any number of a person's vehicles to display Gold Star plates.

The bill clarifies the process for transferring registration fees or obtaining a refund on a commercial motor vehicle registration. The section now gives clearly defined reasons for a transfer or refund.

The bill delays the implementation date for driver license central issuance from April 1, 2009 to August 1, 2009.

The bill also authorizes undercover drivers' licenses for the Insurance Fraud Prevention Division of the Department of Insurance for investigative purposes.

Principal Introducer: _____
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